

Sue Minter was appointed as the Secretary of the Vermont Agency of Transportation (VTrans) in January, 2015, after serving as the Deputy Secretary since 2011. Minter played a leadership role responding to catastrophic flooding from Tropical Storm Irene in August, 2011. Following her oversight of VTrans' emergency response, Minter was deployed by Governor Peter Shumlin to be Vermont's Irene Recovery Officer, responsible for implementation of all state recovery and resilience activities. In September, 2013, Minter was deployed by Shumlin to lead a Vermont team to assist the state of Colorado following severe flooding. Minter also supported Governor Shumlin on the White House Task Force on Climate Preparedness and Resilience as the co-chair of the Disaster Recovery and Resilience Sub Committee.

Sue served in the Vermont Legislature for six years, including two years on the House Appropriations Committee and four years on the House Transportation committee. She was selected to be an Aspen Institute Rodel Fellow in Public Leadership (2009-11), and was designated as a 2008 Emerging Political Leader by the State Legislative Leadership Foundation.

A graduate of Harvard University (BA) and MIT (MA in City Planning) Sue has worked over the past 25 years in the public, private and non-profit sectors, as a professional planner and policy maker at the state, local, and international level. Sue is the mother of two children and lives with her husband, David Goodman, in Waterbury Center, Vermont.